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HEARING SYNOPSIS

July 23, 2020 Agenda (4th Meeting)
Present: O'Donnell, Ganaban, Miyashiro, Lee

PUBLIC HEARINGS – LICENSES GRANTED

[Comm. Ganaban moved for approval; Comm. Lee seconded; Vote 4:0]

IHW Spirits Inc., dba Island Vintage Organic & Wine Bar
2301 Kalakaua Avenue, #C-214 (Royal Hawaiian Center)
Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

New Image Hawaii 2 Inc., dba New Image Hawaii 2 Inc.
3008 Waialae Avenue
Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

APPROVED AT PRELIMINARY HEARING

[Comm. Ganaban moved for approval; Comm. Lee seconded; Vote 4:0]

Asian Source Spirits LLC, dba Asian Source Spirits LLC
274 Puuhale Road
Wholesale General license

OTHER LICENSE/APPLICATION/REQUEST GRANTED

[Comm. Ganaban moved for approval; Comm. Lee seconded; Vote 4:0]

MRIK Beverage Management, LLC, dba Residence Inn by Marriott Kapolei, HI
731 Kunehi Street, Kapolei
Special General license from 6:00 a.m. to 11:59 p.m. on the following dates (total of 14 days):

- 1) August 7, 8, and 9, 2020;
- 2) August 10, 11, and 12, 2020;
- 3) August 13, 14, and 15, 2020;
- 4) August 16, 17, and 18, 2020;
- 5) August 19 and 20, 2020

DK Café, Inc., dba Café Princess Pig
1350 South King Street
Renewal of its Temporary Dispenser Beer and Wine license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)

Financial Partners Ltd., dba T. A. Station
1218 Kona Street, the former site of Cache' Lounge
[Stand-Alone] Temporary Dispenser General license (Category No. 4 – Hostess)

Jinon Corporation, dba Nijiya Market
Retail General licenses
1009 University Avenue, Suites MP1 4A/4B (D1110); and
451 Piikoi Street, Spaces 101/102
Transfer of capital stock and notification of new officers and director

Pacific International Group, Ltd., dba Pacific International Group, Ltd.
Wholesale General license
521 Ala Moana Boulevard, #110
Transfer of capital stock and notification of new officer/director

Bernini Restaurant Group, Inc., dba Bernini Honolulu
Restaurant General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)
1218 Waimanu Street, Suites 101/102
Transfer of capital stock and notification of new officers

Cantina, LLC, dba Encore Saloon/ The Daley Burger
Restaurant General license (Category No.1 – Standard Bar)
10 North Hotel Street
Notification of deletion of members and transfer of membership interests

Workplay LLC, dba Workplay LLC
Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)
814 Ilaniwai Street
Approval to temporarily increase its licensed premises from July 23, 2020 to December 31, 2020, from 2:00 p.m. to 12:00 midnight

Over Easy LLC, dba Over Easy LLC
Restaurant General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)
418 Kuulei Road #105, Kailua
Approval to temporarily increase its licensed premises from July 23, 2020 to June 30, 2021, from 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 midnight

Fat Friday's, Inc., 310 Lewers Street
dba Moose McGillycuddy's Pub & Café
Cabaret General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar); and
dba Moose McGillycuddy's Pub & Café-Waikiki
Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)
Approval of the following:

- 1) *Extension of due date to submit renewal license fee for fiscal year 2020-2021; and*
- 2) *Prorate renewal license fee for a partial year*

Duc Nguyen, Inc., Duc's Bistro
Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)
1188 Maunakea Street
Approval to file its liquor license renewal application for fiscal year 2020-2021 after the June 30, 2020 deadline, pursuant to Rule 3-82-31.4(b)

BLT Steak Waikiki LLC, dba BLT Steak Waikiki LLC
Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)
223 Saratoga Road
Approval to file its liquor license renewal application for fiscal year 2020-2021 after the June 30, 2020 deadline, pursuant to Rule 3-82-31.4(b)

Ginza Onodera USA, Inc., dba Sushi Ginza Onodera
Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)
808 Kapahulu Avenue
Approval to transfer the remaining liquor inventory from Teppanyaki Ginza Onodera to its current licensed location (Restaurant General License was issued to Ginza Onodera USA, Inc., dba Teppanyaki Ginza Onodera, 1726 South King Street, was cancelled voluntarily on June 12, 2020)

Bloomingtondale's, Inc., dba Forty Carrots
Restaurant General license
1450 Ala Moana Boulevard
Approval to file its liquor license renewal application for fiscal year 2020-2021 after the June 30, 2020 deadline, pursuant to Rule 3-82-31.4(b)

Keith K. Suzuka, Esq., on behalf of Makino's Hawaii LLC, dba Sushi Seafood Buffet Kaku's
(Premises at 2330 Kalakaua Avenue, #326)
Withdrawal of Application for a Change of Category from a Restaurant General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar) to a Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing) and for a change of trade name to Kaku's Sushi & Seafood Buffet

OTHER LICENSE/APPLICATION/REQUEST CONTINUED TO AUGUST 6, 2020
[Comm. Ganaban moved for continuance; Comm. Lee seconded; Vote 4:0]

Chinatown Coven LLC, dba Proof Social Club
1154 Fort Street Mall, Suite 10, the former site of Proof Public House
[Stand-Alone] Temporary Dispenser General license (Category No. 3 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS

[Comm. Miyashiro moved to accept or amend recommended penalty; Comm. Lee seconded; Vote 4:0]

Club 550, Inc., dba Club Us (nka Club 550)
Dispenser General (Categories No. 2, 3, & 4 – Nudity; Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing; and Hostess)
550 California Avenue, Wahiawa
Violation: Rule 3-85-91.11 [Failure to immediately surrender its license to the Commission upon suspension or revocation thereof, or within five (5) days after permanent closing of the business or loss of lease or bona fide premises]
Plea: No contest with explanation
Disposition: Letter of reprimand

2535 Coyne Corp., dba RB Sports Bar and Grill
Dispenser General (Category No. 3 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)
2535 Coyne Street
Violation: Section 281-78(b)(2), HRS [Licensee permitted liquor to be consumed on the premises of the licensee or on any premises connected therewith, whether there purchased or not, and consumption in such area is not permitted by the terms of the lease]
Plea: No contest with explanation
Disposition: \$1,000 penalty; suspend \$500 for one year if no similar violation within one-year period

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS – CONTINUED

[Comm. Miyashiro moved for continuance; Comm. Lee seconded; Vote 4:0]

Cheers LLC, dba The Four4

Restaurant General (Category No. 2 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

45-1117 Kamehameha Highway, #203, Kaneohe

Violation: Rule 3-81-17.54(c) [Late filing of gross liquor sales report]

Plea: Admit allegations, with explanation

Disposition: Continued for penalty phase

CONTINUED FOR 2 WEEKS TO AUGUST 6, 2020

Fat Fat Corporation, dba 8 Fat Fat 8 Bar & Grille

Dispenser General (Categories No. 3 & 4 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing; and Hostess)

1327 South Beretania Street

Violation: Rule 3-84-72.2 [Licensee failed to have the street or primary entrances to the licensed premises unlocked during the time customers were on the premises]

Plea: Not guilty

CONTINUED TO AUGUST 27, 2020

J.R.M. L.L.C., dba Boardriders Bar and Grill

Restaurant General (Category No. 2 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

201-A Hamakua Drive, No. 101, Kailua

Charge 1

Violation: Section 281-38, HRS [Failure to comply with any other laws applicable to the business of Licensee, whether in existence at the time of issue of such license or enacted or amended from time to time thereafter, to wit, violations of the Fire Code]

Charge 2

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.4(c) [Utilized an electronic or otherwise recorded payroll registration without prior approval]

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